

## OFFICE OF GOVERNOR MARK DAYTON

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## **Governor Dayton's Budget for Sauk Centre**

The Governor's budget proposal makes significant investments across Minnesota. For Sauk Centre he has proposed new investments in education from our earliest learners to new investments that will put the dream of higher education within the reach of every Minnesotan. The Governor's proposal also builds a fair tax system for every Minnesotan by asking the richest among us to pay their fair share in taxes, providing direct property tax rebates to homeowners, and making the largest reduction to the sales tax rate ever.

## Dayton Budget for Sauk Centre – By the Numbers

\$500	Property tax rebate for Stearns homeowners
750	Taxpayers in Stearns County who will pay more in income taxes
12.1%	Property tax reduction for Stearns County homeowners
2%	Property tax reduction for Stearns County businesses
\$311	Funding increase per student for Sauk Centre Public Schools
\$268,000	Total funding increase for Sauk Centre Public Schools

"We understand that there is tough work ahead. We are committed to working together to address our state's challenges with a focus on the priorities we all share: balancing the state's budget responsibly and expanding economic opportunity for all Minnesotans. That is how we will move our state forward."

- Governor Mark Dayton

## The Impact of Comprehensive Tax Reform on the Average Stearns County Family

Median Stearns County Household Income: \$73,223

Median Stearns County Home Value: \$173,400

Property Tax Relief	\$528
Income Tax	No Change
Sales Tax	No Net Change
Total	\$528 Tax Cut